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VOLUME 1.

SALYERSVILLE; MAGOFFIN COUNTY, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1912.

NUMBER 18.

## Correspondence.

To Correspondents: Weil your let. of the Magoffin Fiscal Court, VIZ: ters early so they will get to us of la Claim No. ter than Monday night. RULES: Write 181 Ira C Bailey on one side of the paper only; write 183 Wallis Cole plainly; spell names correctly, and 179 Shepherd Cole trite "Cor" on the envelope.

Leave out neighborhood visits or we 149 Supply Ven

if your letter does not appear, re- 889 Sal. Nat. Bank member that it was either too late or 287 W P Carpenter that it's contents did not justify pub- 283

We leave out a part, or all, of other 018 "

letters as well as yours. Our space is limited and we must 123 R C Salyer leave out much that is intended for 124 J F Prater publication. That is one of the many 170 128 " unthankful tasks of the editor.

Correspondents get your LETTERS in 125

Several voters of Lygion Pre- 904 Goo Carpenter cinct, No. 3, met Saturday and 282 Shepherd Cole clected Lloyd Adams precinct 279 L C Bailey

Henry C. Kelley, of Paints- 280 Ira C Bailey ville, was here Saturday and 284 Wall's Cole Sunday to see his mother who was very badly injured by a fall.

207 Shepherd Cole 208 Wallis Cole 209 L C Bailey

Frank and Warren Barnett, 211 Sunny Vanover brothers, were lodged in the 210 Ira C Bailey Floyd jail for killing and con- 127 J F Prater cealing a hog from Alex Dotson, 197 R C Salyer of the lower end of this county. 910 B T Patrick They killed the hog while it was 509 Geo Carpenter in the pen and carried it a dis- 198 F C Lacy tance of about one mile and hid 199 W R Prater it in their bed.

The next day Cleve and Will 200 W P Carpenter Barnet, brothers of the above, 243 were taken to jail in this county 201 Robert Reed for taking corn out of W. J. 202 B W Higgins Spradlin's field. They have ac- 903 Geo Carpenter knowledged to this statement. 902

The little twin babe of Noah 901 Howard was found dead in bed 147 Saturday morning.

W. M. Dotson, of Floyd county died Saturday.

Sill Widkins, of this place, died 911 Wednesday of consumption

#### Financial Statement 946

#### Of Magoffin County for Year 191T.

Settlement made this 2nd day of April, 1912, between B. W. 935 county, and Magoffin county, by its Fiscal Court, R. C. Salyer, Judge, Ira C. Bailey, Shepherd Cole, Wallace Cole, Sunny Vanover and L. C. Bailey, Magistrates for the year horizontal strates for the year horizontal strates. Higgins Treasurer of Magoffin trates, for the year beginning 996 "April 1, 1911, and ending April 995 "

Said B. W. Higgins, as Treasurer, is charged with the following amounts received, viz: 1911

April 1. To amount carried over from 1910.....\$ 271 78 Oct 5 To amount receiv-

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Total ......\$10,160 10 Said B. W. Higgins, as Treas-

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SONNY VANOVER, J. P.

The following is a list of claims 304 Smith Kelly..... 16 50 allowed by the Magoffin Fiscal 305 D B Salyer..... 40 00 Court from Jan. 1, 1911 to Jan. 306 Geo Spradlin...... 98 1, 1912, payable out of levy of 307 J W Wheeler..... 1 35 1911, viz: **Current Expense Claims.** 

January Term, 1911. 22 oo 96 E L Stephens.......\$ 10 oo 311 J S Patrick..... 6 oo 97 E L Stephens..... 6 oo 98 S E Hager..... 6 oo 99 W L May..... 6 oo 113 L C Bailey ..... 6 00 114 Ira C Bailey..... 10 oo 115 Sunny Vanover..... 1 98 116 Shepherd Cole...... 9 1o 117 Wallace Cole..... 14 38 April Term, 1911. 5 00 123 R C Salyer..... 150 00 321 Shepherd Cole..... 3 oo 124 F C Lacy...... 105 oo 322 J C Patrick..... 3 00 125 W R Prater..... 125 00 323 Sam Cole..... 3 00 126 B W Higgins..... 18 oo 127 Henry Brown......

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L. C. BAILEY,

I Falcon, as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Magoffin county, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce LOUIS MARSHALL,

of Salyersville as a candidate for

J. J. PACE,

office of Sheriff of Magoffin coun- they were properly educated. ty, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce creates capital. PROCTOR PACE,

of Salyersville, as a candidate for grass farm of our State was 137 J H Penix the office of Jailor of Magoffin practically worthless because 138 F M Hale county, subject to the action of the savage was ignorant of its 172 Nancy Bailey the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce W. J. PATRICK,

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as a candidate for the office of ject to the action of the Republican party.

FOR PRESIDENT. THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.

#### EDITORIAL.

"Honesty is the best policy in politics as well as business.

#### Our Primary.

Mr. W. J. Patrick has received a second letter from the Attorney General. He states that in his opinion our primary for county officers must be deferred until August of 1913. In his first letter he stated that the call of the in November of this year was le-

If the opinion given in the last letter of the Attorney General nominees from Justices of the you want to get the next issue. Peace to County Judge. This is the only plan that will put our

KENTUCKY MOUNTAINEER. county officers now. If the voters want men who are qualified Entered as Second Class Matter
Jan. 12, 1912, at the postoffice at Salyersville, Ky., under the act of March 3, 1879.

(Con't from page 337 Wed Risner 638 Wallis Cole 339 Lafayette Wheeler friends to be elected, not because 340 J W Harper friends to be elected, not because 340 J W Harper of their qualifications, but sim- 341 L B Keeton ply because of friendship and 342 C L Reed kinfolks, they may have this. We must remember that the people may have what they

#### Our Candidacy.

The editor of the Mou taineer has been urged by many of his Locals 10 cents per line for first friends to become a cand date 889a for County Superintendent of Schools. Now to our friends we | 130 W T May desire to say that we are not a 132 R N Lykins candidate nor do we know that 144 Frank Porter we ever will be Should we be- 147 L C Prater Announcements for County of- come a candidate we shall make 172 Taylor Risner a clean race. We will make it on 173 M H Patrick merit and merit alone.

We advocate clean politics and 177 Jim Harve Nickel whether we are personally interested or not we shall stand for 184 W B May honesty in the primary.

We now promise that if we 203 George Pace make any race that we will not 203 N N Salyer disgrace and injure the party by 205 Elbert Cole of Salyersville, as a candidate using whisky and money to 206 Sally Reed for the nomination for clerk of bribe men of one of the greatest

If we believe that a majority 236 Jas M Coffee of the voters of Magoffin county 237 Mack Bailey We are authorized to announce want us to make the race we 240 Wince Conley will announce later. Otherwise 245 Sherman Marshall we will let others make the race. 255 James Neely

#### Our Schools.

If the new school law is prop- 265 Levi Conley erly enforced our county shall 266 J W Harper soon have fewer illiterate peo- 269 J M Patrick ple. Magoffin county is rich in 271 Lark Arnett coal and minerals but her great- 272 Willie Collinsworth the nomination for sheriff of These assets, if properly cared est wealth lies in her children. Magoffin county subject to the for in our public schools, will not 105 Suckey Nickels action of the Republican party. only rapidly diminish the amount 105 Harris Gose paid to paupers but it will put 105 J W Hensley We are authorized to announce dollars in our treasury. The 109 Angeline Griffith greater part of our paupers 110 Iscac Stephens of Conley, as a candidate for the would be paying a good tax if 111 John Phipps

> RIGHT education prepares the individual to use more and earn 129 H.B Mny more. In other words education 133 W G Phipps

Two centuries ago a great blue 136 Dr M T Dotson value. When the writer was a 143 Sam Miller boy the great coal fields of Kentucky were practically worthless 132a Sam Miller because the owners were ignor- 146 George Carpenter ant of their value. If our peo- 148 Farish Cole of Salyersville, as a candidate ple should be placed in some of 149 N L Slone for the office of County Judge of the new England States to make 150 W P Carpenter Magoffin county, subject to the a living the greater portion 151 Suckey Nickels would fail because they are not 152 Jno Phipps properly educated. If the chil- 153 Kiah Gipson We are authorized to announce dren of this county receive the 154 I C Howard education that is due them they 155 Jack Howard will be enabled to make at least 156 Dan Guilett a respectable livelihood. Many 157 Amanda Whitely Judge of Magoffin county, sub- of them would hold to the for- 158 Sib Harmon tunes of mineral that they have 159 Sambo Gibson honestly inherited rather than 160 Elizabeth Conley

If your children get an educa- 162 Wm Crace tion you must determine that 163 Angeline Griffith they are going to have their 164 Toy Helton share whether the teacher you 165 Isaac Stephens are in favor of gets the school or 166 W G Phipps not. You must realize that your 167 Sam Mullins child is as good as any other 168 Henry Workman man's child and that it will get 169 Lier Hale an education if in your power to 171 Mariah Murphy give it.

Let us all pull together for bet- 186 Rebecca Bailey ter schools and better attendance. 187 Henry Coats Talk school and churches as well as politics. It takes them all to 194 W P Carpenter make a progressive county.

Roosevelt smashes Baltimore machine and carries Maryland's 212 Amanda Whitely county committee for a primary 16 votes. Taft gets Nevada's 6 votes. Champ Clark wins in 214 Sucky Nickels Maryland.

One cross (x) after your name 216 Sib Harmon holds we shall have more time indicates that your subscription 217 Wm Combs to select county officers. There will expire with the next issue, 218 Arty Combs is a great demand among the re- two crosses (x x) indicate that it 219 Kire Gipson publican voters of this county expires with the present copy and 220 Sam Miller for honest primaries and honest that you must renew at once if 221 Arty Miller

223 Toy Helton If money is scarce with you 224 Isaac Stephens counts out of debt, thereby giv- just bring us some dried apples, 225 E B Arnett ing better prices to our farms. beans, corn, fodder, or anything 226 Lee Conley Even if the primary comes in that has any value and we will 227 Sam Mullins August of 1913 we should con- pay the highest market price for 328 Wm Auxier tinue to agreate the [question of same on your subscription,

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT. (Con't from page 1.

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270 Annie Salyer

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Old claims upon 6 per cent in-

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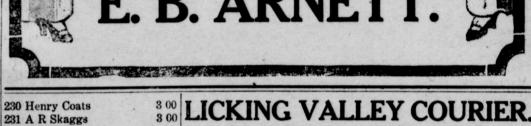
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County Court: On Fourth Monday in each Month.

Quarterly Court: Tuesday and Wednesday after Fourth Monday in each Month.

Fiscal Court: Tuesday after First Monday in April and Octo-

> R. C. Salyer, Presiding Judge.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Judge-R. C. Salyer. Attorney-W. R. Prater. Sheriff-Robert Reed. Treasurer-B. W. Higgins. Circuit Clerk-A. H. Adams. County Clerk-F. C. Lacy. Supt. Schools-Martha B. Arnett.

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Second District-L. C. Bailey, 1st Saturday in each month. Third District-Sunny Vanover, 2nd Monday of each month.

Fourth District-Ira C. Bailey, Tuesday after 2nd Monday in each month.

Fifth District-Wallace Cole, 3rd Monday in each month.

Salyersvill Police Court-First Monday in each month, James Prater, Judge. S. H. Mann, Town Marshal. Town Trustee-E. B. Arnett,

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If you die, get married, leave Enlarging the Mountaineer. iting his family at Lickburg. the county, get sick or do anything that is of interest to the public call us up, PHONE 21, or

#### LOCAL NEWS.

May 3, a boy.

Sam Metzger was at West Liberty this week on business.

On account of the financial statement several news items were omitted.

Remember that if you do not renew at once you will not get the Mountaineer.

Dr. L. F. Metzger, of Ronceverte, W. Va., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. S. D. May, who is being treated at Dr. Kash's Sanitarium, is getting along nicely.

FREE THOROUGHBRED SEED Corn for boys between the ages of 10 and 20 at the County Supt.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. D. 2:30 p. m,

I have just received my spring and summer line of Millinery Goods. Do all kinds of trimming. Give me a call.

Mrs. Thomas M. Green.

A pie supper will be given at the Court house Friday night the 17th, by the ladies of the M. E. Church. Young people especially invited.

too late for publication this week. We shall try to publish it next week. Rule is not in the con- courts may decide about the law. 040 Tone Gardner Com test with our regular correspon-

Be careful Burning Fork folks attenance he has. or you will cripple your horses

#### A Noted Eye Specialist in Town.

M. C. Carey, one of The E. & as under the old law. J. Swigart Co, of Cincinnati, is All women twenty-one years 231 in town and will remain at the of age are permitted to vote in 232 Phoenix Hotel till May 14th. all school elections. Now if the farmer whose sight is impaired by poor glasses will must pass a more rigid examinacome and consult this specialist tion than formerly, being exam- 889b free of charge and have their ined on the common school bran- 889c eyes examined free. He is doing ches, Higher Arithmetic, Alge- 876a United Baptists, First Satur- an extensive business with the bra, Psychology and English 876b day and following Sunday of best people in Salyersville. If Literature. each month. Jno. R. Caudill, you want a glass of any sort made he will guarantee it to fit Missionary Baptist, Sunday correctly and easily. If your School at 9:30 a. m., preaching sight cannot be restored to its there and four-year-old mules for 05 James Bailey at 11 o'clock at Magoffin Insti-strength at 12 years there will be sale. For further particulars 8 A P Cloper

> D. M. Atkeson sold two heifers for \$70 as a result of advertising in the Mountaineer.

> MORAL-If you have live stock. county paper.

> > For Sale.

M. E. Church, is selling his money if this paper ceases to be 66 1-4 W W Howes household goods to return to his published, home in Indiana.

G. F. Anderson, of Ramage, W. Va., who has been visi ing past three weeks, returned home yesterday.

If you want our county to get out of debt study the expenditures of the county as given in the financial statement. Don't Franklin Power.....Lakeville you think we need a poor house farm? If the county cannot buy it can rent.

> With the Mississippi river still in 4 precincts. rising and pouring through the levee banks in Louisiana the situation is becoming serious. The loss of life is already heavily reported. The river is higher than 28th. Rev. J. H. Litteral officever before known.

In about three weeks we hope

We are striving to give you a good paper and want our sub- trial School. scribers to appreciate this fact Born to E. B. Arnett and wife by insisting that their neighbor subscribe for the Mountaineer.

#### NOTICE.

Salyersville, Ky., May 2, 1912. Notice is hereby given to all that no candidate for office will be accepted as surety on any note to this bank.

So it is needless to present any ord made of it in the Clerk's ofnote to this bank with any can- fice and lost my pardon. Noah didate's name to it.

Salyersville National Bank.

#### The New School Law.

changes in the school law are the convention. I proved to the following:

the recommendation of the sub- the Convention. district chairman. This prevents the "bunching" of the trustees of a division. It enables each sub-district trustee to select his teacher. There is a doubt in the 40 1-3 J L Rowland B. Patrick next Wednesday at mind of the State Superintend- 9 1-4 J G Arnett ent as to whether the employing 11 1-3 of teachers is to be done on the 17 1-4 E B Arnett first or last Saturday in June of 80 1-3 H W Atkeson this year. But the law that per- 43 R C Salyer tains to the sub-district trustee's 035 M M Salyer nominating a teacher for his 239 Trimble Bros chool will be in effect, because 40 1-2 the new law must be in full force 166 1-4 " by the 12th of June. The State 45a West Pub Co Superintendent advises the var- 283 Jas W Wheeler ious boards to meet on the first 287 Abe Wireman Saturday in June and elect the 15 1-4 Milburn & Son teachers. Then on the last Sat- 13 H N Adams RUIE JOHNSON'S letter is urday to convene and ratify these 5 John Russel! Jr elections. By so doing they 27 1-2 J C Lemaster shall be right whatever the 51-3 Jno B Arnett

The teacher is paid by the 19 1-2 Jos G Arnett T J F grade of certificate he holds, the 020a American Law Bk Co experience he has had and by the 44

All pupils between the ages of 048a R C Adams in crossing the little bridges. seven and twelve must attend 029a Mary E Rice These bridges have been repair- the six months term of school. la The Sal. Nat. Bank ed with one inch lumber and it If they fail to do so the teacher 252 has now broken out leaving the must notify the County Superin- 254 bridges in a dangerous condition. tendent who has the parents 103 S E Hager tried before the judge.

The county board fills vacan- 315 Pauly Jail Bldg Co cies instead of the division board 316

#### Mules For Sale.

We have a number of good 17 and prices call on or address A. D, Lacy or J. H. Arnett, Salyersville, Ky.

#### Poor house Farm Wanted.

The Fiscal Court desires to 281b D B Salver mechandise or anything else to purchase a poor house farm. 246 Martha B Arnett sell tell the public through your Call on or address Judge Salyer or 3 1.3 any of the Justices of the peace. 186

#### OUR GUARANTEE.

Rev. T. M. Green, Pastor of the We guarantee to refund your 51 1-4

#### County Committee.

The following were selected as relatives in this county for the Committeemen for Magoffin county last Saturday:

Salversville. Floyd Bailey. Flat Fork. J. W. Wheeler. Willie Caudill, State Road. Lloyd Adams. Ivyton. Lee Patrick. Meadows. Franklin Patton, Lakeville. Middle Fork. John M. Dunn Lee Bays. Bloomington. There was no meetings held

OLDE.

Luther Conley and Lucy Conley were united in matrimony on the iating.

John Burns, of Jenkins is vis-

Abbot Adams has returned to to make the Mountaineer just Lexington after a week visit twice as large as it now is.

Lexington after a week visit with home folks. He has a good position at the Kentucky Indus-

> W. M. Phipps, of Lickburg, has gone to Ashland to take the civil service examination.

PUFF STUFF.

Editor Mountaineer,

Dear sir:-Three years ago I was find \$125 and 10 days in prison. I was pardoned by Gov. Wilson and failed to have a rec-Patrick, Bishop Patrick and Elijah Patrick saw this pardon. Nothing more was said about it until I talked for Roosevelt, and Among the most important I was arrested on the day of the sheriff by good witnesses that I Teachers must be employed had been pardoned and was rethe first Saturday in June upon leased and permitted to vote in

WARREN PATTON.

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Respectfully,

R. C. SALYER, Judge.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT. (Con't from page 2.)

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## ROOSEVELT GIVES POLITICAL CREED

Plain Answers to Questions as to His Principles.

WHERE HE STANDS

In an Editorial in the March 30 Issue of The Outlook, Theodore Roose-velt Sets Forth "A Short Political Creed" in the form of Questions and Answers, as Follows:

good friend of mine who has been asked many questions about the political philosophy which I endeavored to interpret and formulate in my Columbus speech has put those questions in the form of a short catechism; and in answering them I have endeavored to outline the philosophy

What is the aim for which political

Progressives are striving?

The promotion of genuine popular government in America, the defense of human rights, and the establishment of social and industrial justice, so that every force in the community may be directed towards securing for the average man and average woman a higher and better and fuller life in the things of the body no less than those of the mind and soul

Do you believe that the pursuit of this aim requires the adoption of new and radical principles? No. I believe it requires a new and

radical application of the old princi-ples of justice and common honesty, which are as eternal as life itself. New methods and new machinery are needed for carrying these principles into our national existence; and also a broader sympathy, so that our justice may be generous and human, and not merely legalistic

Do you believe in a short ballot? I do I consider it one of the most important methods to be adopted. By the "short ballot" I mean the principle of electing few men to important offices and making more administra tive offices appointive. This is the method that is pursued in our Federal government. The people have nothing whatever to fear from giving any publie servant power so long as they re-tain their own power to hold him ac-countable to them. You will get best service where you elect only a few men, each of whom has his definite duties and responsibilities, and is obliged to work in the open so that the people know who he is and what

Do you believe in direct primaries? I do. In the state the primary should be of the simplest form (consistent with preventing fraud) that will enable each individual voter to act directly on the nomination of elective officers; in the nation presidential primaries should be so framed that the voters may choose their delegates to the national conventions, and at the e time express their preference for nominees for the presidency. At the present moment our political machines are using their power to defraud the people out of their rights to make nom-

Do you believe in the election of United States senators by the peo-

I do. I think the people are just as competent to elect United States senators directly as they are to elect gov-ernors or representatives in congress or state legislatures

Do you believe in the initiative or referendum?

tions. Action by the initiative or ref-erendum ought not to be the normal way of legislation; I think the legislature should be given an entirely free hand. But I believe the people should have the power to reverse or supple-ment the work of the legislature, whenever it becomes necessary

Do you believe in the recall?

I believe the people should be pro-vided with the means of recalling or un-electing important elective administrative officers, to be used only when there is a widespread and genuine publie feeling for such a recall among a majority of the voters I believe that there is scant necessity for using it in connection with short-term elective of

Do you believe in the recall of

believe that the evils which have led to the very widespread proposal ted to the very widespread proposal to apply the recall to judges are very real. I see no reason why the people, if they are competent to elect judges, are not also competent to un-elect them. I think the judiciary should be made clearly to understand that they represent incide for the whole people. represent tectice for the whole people. Personal we'd having in view the success of the Massachusetts system. I am at present inclined to believe that judges should be appointed. Then we can apply the principle of the recall to the appointive power. In addition, I would have the appointive judges removable; and, in feeling our way to the proper solution, I would try having this done by a majority vote of the two houses of the legislature, as may now be done under the Mas sachusetts law, whenever the people through their representatives feel ple through their representatives feel that the needs of the people require such removal. But this is merely my such retroved. But this is merely my preference, and, moreover, my prime concern is with the end, not the means, I wish to see good judges put on the bene't and bad ones taken off it. Any system which in its actual workings accomplishes these two ends is a good system. I do not wish to use the receil it is possible to avoid doing

o; but I would lat rather lave recourse to the recall dan continue the present system, which pro, ide an impeachment remedy that in practice never works, and provides no efficient way whatever for overruling judicial misconstruction of the constitution.

Do you believe in the "review of judicial decisions" by state courts, and what do you mean by it?

I do What I mean may be fully expressed by the phrase "The right of the people to review certain judicial decisions which nullify laws demanded by the people in the exercise of the

by the people in the exercise of the police or general welfare power on the ground that these laws are unconsti tutional." This would amount to a simpler method of construing or amending the judicial interpretation of the constitution wherever such in-terpretation becomes clearly adverse to human rights. I believe, as I have said over and over again, that when the highest court of a state differs from the legislature of that state on the question of the constitutionality of life and labor among wage-earners, the people should have the right to de-termine in an election whether the constitution which they have framed was meant by them to permit such law. This method cannot apply to questions as to the federal constitution; I have made this distinction jurisdiction of the United States Suconstitution must remain supreme over the whole people. The constitudaily process of making by the people of those states, and I would therefore vest in the people of each state the final authority as to what their state constitution should be. I would not make the people the final judge in legal questions between individuals, but I would make the people the final umpire in such a conflict as that above outlined between the legislature and the judiciary in any given state.

The personal differences betweet ome or my opponents and myself are only incidents of a fundamental difference of view. My opponents be-lieve, as many of the founders of our government believed, that the people as a whole have neither the capacity nor the training to decide question broad governmental policy. Many of our fathers thought that the people could not be trusted to elect presidents or senators and therefore de-vised the Electoral College, which we have abandoned, and the legislative method of electing senators, which we are abandoning. My opponents think that a special class, the legal class, is the proper one finally to determine questions of basic political philosophy; I believe that the ultimate authority rests in the people and must is exercised by the people. This of course does not mean that the people should not employ experts to do their work for them. For instance, having se-lected the president, the voters should give him full executive power but if the voters decide that they want a parcels post, they should expect him to make, with loyalty o their decision, the best parcels post that can be made, and they will not expect him to dentily for them as to whether they are to bee a parcels post or not. In law, having framed the constitution and the statutes they should choose the best judge that they can to carry out the provisions of the constitution that they want a workmen's compensation ac, they ought to expect the judge to administer such an act, and not to determine whether a workmen's compensation act is good for them or not. It is none of the judge's busi-ness to say whether the people ought to wish and to have such an act; it is the people's business, and only theirs. if the people decide (as the Canadians have decided) that it is a true func-tion of government to formulate and regulate the relations of organized capital and organized labor, including wages, hours, and conditions of work, they will not expect the judges-and the judges must not expect-to decide that this is not a true function of goz-ernment; and if the judges endeavor to assert their view as opposed to the people's view, the people ought in legal fashion to tell them they are mistaken, and, if the judges persist, remove them and get judges who will administer the law based upon the theory of government which the people - the exercise of their sober and deliberate judgment have decided to be good

# MONEY TRUST

Two Billion Dollar Committee Asks for Subscription.

SECRET CIRCULAR FOUND

Begging Letter from Sponsors of the Financial End of the Taft Campaign — Who the Anti-Roosevelt Alarmists Are, the Concerns They Represent, and Their Combined

Washington, April 6 -The financial end of the Taft campaign was revealed somewhat the other day by the cap-ture in New York by Amos Pinchot of a copy of a nifty little circular letter which was being sent around to men in Big Business in a very confidential way. The capture of the letter was made with some difficulty but it was made. The letter read like this:

"Col Roosevelt is endeavoring to se-cure a nomination for a third term, contrary to a widely established pre-

call of judges and the recall or p dicial decisions, which in the opinion of thinking men would nullify the consti tution and menace the furgiscental

"We believe that President Pafe by reason of his wise, conservative and efficient administration, is entitled to renomination by the Republican par

fore the electorate and to insure the s nomination of President Taft a vig campaign is essential We eat y solicit your support and ask penses of carrying on the work Checks should be made payable to Robert F. Huse, acting treasurer, care Redmond & Co., 23 Pine street."

At the head of the letter was the list of sponsors in the form of the committee seeking to raise the spon dulix for Taft it included some of the men down in the Wall street country who do nothing all day long but attend meetings of boards of directors and pocket gold coins for so doing Amos Pinchot, who is a good deal of a lawyer, with offices at 60 Broadway. says the letter in reality constitutes a violation of the criminal code of the state of New York, because it is a device to gain money by false pretenses He bases this opinion upon the fact that the writers of the letter are plainly trying to scare moneyed men into contributing by setting up the charge that Col. Roosevelt is trying to secure the recall of the justices of the decisions, to break down the constitu tion of the United States and to de stroy the government.

As Col. Roosevelt's treatment of the recall question, as far as the courts are concerned, has been confined dis finelly to state courts and then only to certain well defined cases, Mr. Pin chot believes this makes the latter a direct violation of the New York penal code as expressed in Section 1290, covering the offense of securing money by false pretenses. However, ar it is likely that the recipients of the letter were perfectly willing to be scared about Col Roosevelt, it is not probab'e that any of them will seek to prosecute the members of the oney raising committee

As far as that committee is concerned it is a peach. There are if There are 19 members, as stated on the letter head, and these 19 men represent among a multitude of other things the follow ing institutions, all notorious as constituent parts of the money trust:

Silient parts of the money trust:

New York Tenst Co., New York Central Endirond Moreomitle Tenst Co.,

Corporation Trust Co., Bethlehem Steet

Corporation Astor Trust Co., Generally

Trust Co., National Cliff flank, Brooksyan Retural Life Insurance Co., Delaware & Hurison Rairond, West Shore,

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touth, Metropolitan Trust Co., Trust

Company of America, Bankers Trust

Co., Hite Guarantee & Trust Co., Man
hattan Life Insurance Co.

It is too bad that no manual in the

library of Compress gives the contral

library of congress gives the capital of all of these trust companies and their allied concerns The total would certainly be more than all the money the world But by the aid of such manuals as are to be found here a glance at the concerns represented by about half of the committee of 19 will go some distance toward establishing that Big Business is for Taft and no other need apply As a spectacle of billions, begging the letter speaks for itself. Following is what is learned about a few of these 19 anti-Rooseevit alarmists

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WILLIAM BERRI-Directo in five corporations of capitalization ranking from \$10,000,000 to \$150,-10,150,000 000
HENDRICK S. HOLDEN—
Director Syracuse Trust
Co. and 1st National
Bank
Director Com. Nat. Bank. ........

Bank
Director Com. Nat. Bank,
Syracuse
R ROSS APPLETON—Pres.
14th Street Bank, New
York
Director Industrial Savings & Loan Co.
Director Metropolitins Safe
Deposit Co.
Director New York Mortgage Co.
Birector New York Mortgage Co.
JOHN HENRY HAMMOND—
Director Eastern Steel
Co.
Director Standard Roller
Bearing Co.
5,000,000

Total ...... 5 14,000,000 The full list of the 19 reads like

this:

Benjamia F. Tracy, Chairman. Otto
T. Bannard, Niebolas Murray Butler,
George Bingden, Charles N. Bernhelmer,
Julien P. Davies, Marcus M. Marks,
William N. Cohen, Carlton A. Chase,
William Bertl, Andrew B. Baird, Almet
R. Latson, Marcus M. Marks, Chauncey
M. Depew, George R. Sheldon, Edgar
L. Marston, Hendrick S. Holden, Edgar
L. Marston, Hendrick S. Holden, Richard Young
It is supposed that the necessity for
the letter lies in the change from the
good old times when there were no
corrupt practices acts and no laws
compelling publicity of campaign contributions. It is personal checks the
boys must have now, no matter where
the money really comes from.

Their Names Against Them.

We are believed to believe that Ananias left no descendants, but there were people so like him as to bear the name of Anania, or again Ananian. Their descendants have to bear the brunt of ancestral duplicity. So, Mr. Anacreente may perhaps trace his descent back to the sweet Greek singer of women and wine. Not unlikely, as his greatest poetic brother, Pindar, also has sons.

Wood for Lead Pencils.

The annual output of lead pencils in this country is more 320,000,000. The cedar wood is used in making them weigh about 100,000 tons, and nearly three-fourths of a cent's worth of wood is required for each No other wood is so good for the purpose, and the timber is becoming scarce. Old cedar planks and fence rails now find a ready sale.

Point Possibly Overlooked. western man advertises for a wife, and stipulates that the woman must be the widow of a man who has been hanged. The inference is that he wants to show up well in comparison with

her former husband, evidently over-looking the fact that not every man who deserves it is hanged .- Philadelphia Inquirer.

Nobody can be said to be really down on his luck to the down downd-

est degree until he has had presented to him a very valuable watch every time it is repaired costs from \$10 to \$25. There's no place where the percentage system works so agon-izingly as with the valuable watch owned by a poor man.

Idea Not Modern.

The brass paper fastener which is still used for thick documents was patented in 1867 by a government clerk by the name of G.W. McGill. Yet it was not new, for the Romans used a similar device 2,000 years ago and the modern appliance was a resurrec-

Unanswered.

"George," she asked, "if we were both young and single again would you want me to be your wife?" "Now. my dear." he absent-mindedly replied, "what's the use of trying to quarrel just as we have settled down to enjoy a quiet evening?"-Chicago Record-Herald.

Just a Little Too Much. A business man called his stenog rapher and dictated as part of a sentence "quasi public institutions." came to him in typewritten form "cross eyed public institutions." He has a new stenographer.



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